

To the Members of the California State Assembly:

I am returning Assembly Bill 666 without my signature.

While I value the Home Economics Career and Technical Education Incentive program, the 2007 Budget Act did not include funding for this program. In fact, this program has not been funded since the 1998-99 budget. Therefore, this bill maintains an unfunded program and potential General Fund (Proposition 98) cost pressure annually. Without prejudice to the program, it would not be prudent to enact a sunset extension at this time.

For this reason, I am unable to sign this bill.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger